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**RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action dated November 15, 2007, having a shortened statutory period expiring on February 15, 2008. Further examination and reconsideration are respectfully requested in view of the amendments and remarks set forth below.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on **page 2** of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on **page 7** of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on **page 15** of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

**Remarks** begin on **page 16** of this paper.